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Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments

Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors

Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. At its 9th plenary meeting, on 11 September 2000, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its fifty-fifth session the item entitled "Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors".

2. At its 20th meeting, on 3 November 2000, the Fifth Committee had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/55/103) concerning the vacancy in the membership of the Board of Auditors that will occur as a result of the expiration of the term of office of one of its members on 30 June 2001.

3. The Fifth Committee also had before it a note by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/55/6) whereby the Court of Audit of France was nominated by the Government of France for appointment as a member of the Board of Auditors for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 July 2001.

4. At the same meeting, the Fifth Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly that it appoint the Court of Audit of France as a member of the Board of Auditors for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 July 2001.

Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

5. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly appoint the Court of Audit of France as a member of the Board of Auditors for a three-year term of office beginning on 1 July 2001.

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